

SHERI BUTLER BROCKINGTON, on  
behalf of herself and others similarly  
situated,

V.

Defendant.

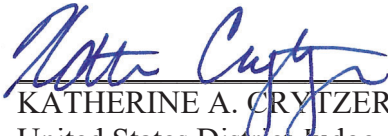
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3. **Disclosure and Discovery; Including Experts:**

- a. **Rule 26(f) Meeting and Discovery Plan:** The Parties submitted their discovery plan. The Parties shall follow their discovery plan to the extent not inconsistent with this Order and may seek assistance from the Court in the event of a dispute.
- b. **Electronic Discovery:** The Parties have conferred regarding whether they will seek discovery of electronically stored information and shall seek the Court's assistance in the event a dispute arises.
- c. **Initial Disclosures:** The Parties agreed to complete initial disclosures under Rule 26(a)(1) by **July 25, 2025**.
- d. **Protective Orders:** In the event a need for a further protective order arises, Parties shall endeavor to reach an agreement as to a protective order. In the absence of agreement, either Party may file a motion for a protective order.
- e. **Expert Testimony:** Plaintiff shall disclose any expert testimony related to the issue of class certification in accordance with Rule 26(a)(2)(B) and (C) by **12/15/2025**. Defendant shall disclose any expert testimony related to the issue of class certification in accordance with Rule 26(a)(2)(B) and (C) by **12/29/2025**. Parties shall disclose rebuttal expert testimony no later than **1/5/2026**. Parties shall supplement these disclosures when required under Rule 26(e).
- f. **Class Certification Discovery:** The Parties must complete all discovery related to the issue of class certification, including expert depositions, by **1/16/2026**. Parties must serve all written discovery requests sufficiently in advance of the discovery deadline so that responses will be due prior to the deadline.
- g. **Motion to Compel:** Before filing a motion to compel, relevant Parties must meet and confer in an attempt to resolve the dispute. If the relevant Parties are unable to resolve the dispute informally, the relevant Parties shall contact chambers of the assigned Magistrate Judge to notify the Court of a dispute and schedule a time for a telephone conference to attempt to resolve the dispute. If, and only if, the relevant Parties' dispute is unresolved following the conference with the Magistrate Judge, Parties may file an appropriate written motion with the Court. Parties must include a certification of compliance with this subsection and, if applicable, the written certification required by Rule 37(a)(1).
- h. **Motion for Class Certification:** Plaintiff shall file any motion for class certification under Rule 23 on or before **2/16/2026**. Any response shall be filed on or before **3/9/2026**.

4. **Conclusion:** Any failure to comply with the provisions of this order may result in the exclusion of witnesses, exhibits, depositions, or damages, as relevant.

SO ORDERED.

  
KATHERINE A. CRYTZER  
United States District Judge